

Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation
Division of Professional Regulation
Illinois Clinical Psychologists Licensing and Disciplinary Board

Minutes of Open Session

Meeting Date: September 18, 2020

Location: Meeting conducted via conference call in accordance with Executive Order 2020-07.

Call to Order: 10:37 a.m.

Adjournment: 12:14 p.m.

Board Members Participating: Neil Pliskin, Ph.D., Chair
Karla Steingraber, Psy.D., Vice-chair
Frank Cushing, Ed.D., Member
Vida B. Dyson, Ph.D., Member
Peter F. Fore, M.D., Prescribing Member
Blaine Lesnik, Psy.D., Member
Soterios J. Soter, Ph.D., Prescribing Member

Board Members Unavailable: Carrie Channell, Public Member
Robert C. Rinaldi, Ph.D., Prescribing Member

Staff Members Participating: Lauren Craig, Office of General Counsel
Robert Gerton, Board Liaison

Guests: None

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION
CALL TO ORDER		Dr. Pliskin called the meeting to order at 10:37 a.m.
MINUTES ACCEPTANCE	Board members reviewed the minutes from open session of the May 15, 2020 meeting.	<p>Motion was made and seconded (Cushing/Lesnik) to accept the minutes.</p> <p>Pliskin, PhD – Yes Steingraber – Yes Cushing, EdD – Yes Dyson, PhD– Yes Fore, MD – Yes Lesnik, PsyD – Yes Soter, PhD – Yes</p> <p>Motion carried.</p>
DEPARTMENT TIME	Lauren Craig provided a brief review of Department functions and operations.	
MOTION TO ENTER INTO CLOSED SESSION		<p>At approximately 10:51 a.m. motion was made and seconded (Dyson/Steingraber) that the Board enter into Closed Session for the purposes set forth in Section 2(c)(15) & (21) of the Illinois Open Meetings Act.</p> <p>Pliskin, PhD – Yes Steingraber – Yes Cushing, EdD – Yes Dyson, PhD– Yes Fore, MD – Yes Lesnik, PsyD – Yes Soter, PhD – Yes</p> <p>Motion carried.</p>

<p>MOTION TO RETURN TO OPEN SESSION</p>		<p>At 11:51 a.m. motion was made and seconded (Fore/Soter) that the Board return to Open Session.</p> <p>Pliskin, PhD – Yes Steingraber – Yes Cushing, EdD – Yes Dyson, PhD– Yes Fore, MD – Yes Lesnik, PsyD – Yes Soter, PhD – Yes</p> <p>Motion carried.</p>
<p>RECOMMENDATIONS</p>		<p>Motion was made and seconded (Fore/Cushing) to affirm the following recommendations made in closed session:</p> <p>Accept the minutes of closed session for the July 10, 2020 meeting.</p> <p>Gretchen BOULES Application deferred Action Sheet No. 200695</p> <p>Pliskin, PhD – Yes Steingraber – Yes Cushing, EdD – Yes Dyson, PhD– Yes Fore, MD – Yes Lesnik, PsyD – Yes Soter, PhD – Yes</p> <p>Motion carried.</p>

ATTENDANCE	<p>At 12:00 p.m. Dr. Soter was not able to continue participation in the meeting due to another commitment and left the meeting. The Board tabled discussion of any remaining prescribing issues and scheduled an ad hoc follow up meeting October 9, 2020. Because prescribing issues were tabled, Dr. Fore left the meeting at this time also.</p>	
MOTION TO ENTER INTO CLOSED SESSION		<p>At approximately 12:01 p.m. motion was made and seconded (Dyson/Cushing) that the Board return to Closed Session for the purposes set forth in Section 2(c)(15) of the Illinois Open Meetings Act.</p> <p>Pliskin, PhD – Yes Steingraber – Yes Cushing, EdD – Yes Dyson, PhD– Yes Lesnik, PsyD – Yes</p> <p>Motion carried.</p>
MOTION TO RETURN TO OPEN SESSION		<p>At 12:11 p.m. motion was made and seconded (Cushing/Dyson) that the Board return to Open Session.</p> <p>Pliskin, PhD – Yes Steingraber – Yes Cushing, EdD – Yes Dyson, PhD– Yes Lesnik, PsyD – Yes</p> <p>Motion carried.</p>

RECOMMENDATIONS		<p>Motion was made and seconded (Dyson/Cushing) to affirm the following recommendation made in closed session:</p> <p>Theresa MOORE Application denied Action Sheet No. 200696</p> <p>Pliskin, PhD – Yes Steingraber – Yes Cushing, EdD – Yes Dyson, PhD– Yes Lesnik, PsyD – Yes</p> <p>Motion carried.</p>
SIGNATURES		<p>The following Action Sheets were signed by the Chair on behalf of the Board: 200695 - 200696</p>
ADJOURNMENT		<p>Motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting.</p> <p>Pliskin, PhD – Yes Steingraber – Yes Cushing, EdD – Yes Dyson, PhD– Yes Lesnik, PsyD – Yes</p> <p>Motion carried. At 12:14 p.m., the meeting adjourned.</p>